Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 27 Nov 2020 until 23:59 on Saturday 28 Nov 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 27 Nov 2020 at 04:52 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Low confidence in extent of low cloud and precipitation on Friday. High for the overall forecast for the weekend and early next week, but low confidence for amounts of low cloud.

Headline for Friday 27 Nov 2020: Cloudy, a little light rain or higher summit snow. Driest in south.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 27 Nov 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG					
Fog	Dull	Dull	Dull	Light snow	Light snow
Precipitation probability					
30%	30%	30%	30%	30%	30%

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Weather: Cloudy throughout the day with some patchy mostly light rain or higher summit sleet or wet snow. Some drier weather expected at times too, most likely across southern Argyll and Arran. Rain or snow may become a little heavier in the evening with the snow line lowering to around 900 metres or so.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low confidence. Extensive low cloud with bases between 500 and 700 metres expected, best chance of breaks most likely over southern Argyll and Arran.

Visibility: Rather hazy under cloud cover.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	23/28 S	20/25 S	17/21 S	10/13 SE	8/10 SE	12/14 SE	16/20 SE
900	15/22 S	15/21 S	13/18 S	8/11 S	8/10 SE	10/12 SE	12/15 S
600	26/31 S	22/26 S	19/22 S	9/10 S	5/7 E	8/11 SE	13/16 S
300	13/21 S	11/16 S	8/13 S	5/8 SE	5/9 SE	6/10 SE	8/12 SE
Glen	8/18 SW	5/14 S	3/9 S	3/7 S	2/6 SE	2/7 S	2/8 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	0/-7	-0/-7	-1/-8	-1/-6	-1/-5	-2/-7	-2/-9
900	2/-4	2/-4	1/-4	1/-3	1/-3	0/-4	-0/-5
600	4/-2	4/-2	4/-1	4/1	4/2	3/0	3/-1
300	6/2	6/3	6/3	6/4	5/3	5/3	5/2
Glen	7/5	7/6	7/6	7/6	6/6	6/6	6/5
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1200m	1200m	1100m	1000m	900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Cold conditions on the summits, especially in low cloud, with ice on high Munro summits.

Forecast for Saturday 28 Nov 2020
Weather: Some fog banks possible in glens first thing, otherwise daylight hours will be dry and bright. Low cloud may extend across the south of the area after dark but low confidence in this aspect.

Maximum wind: Southerly 20 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low confidence at this stage, but only small amounts of low cloud expected.

Visibility: Mostly good, perhaps some haziness in the air

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 2 rising to 7 Celsius
At 800m: Zero rising to plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: 800 metres, rising to 1200 metres later in the day

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